



A Surgeon General's Report on the Stigma of Mental Illness: Have We Made Progress?

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Statement of Need

Major depression is a chronic and disabling illness that imposes significant social and economic burdens on its sufferers. Yet, major depression remains under-treated despite ongoing advances in treatment options. Medical comorbidities can complicate diagnosis, treatment choice, medication compliance, and ultimately, prospects for remission. There are other obstacles to treatment, such as lingering societal perceptions and the stigma associated with mental illness. Overcoming the stigmatization of mental illness requires a coordinated effort by the multidisciplinary treatment team that includes psychiatry and primary care. In this evidence-based psychCME TV activity, Dr. Masand is joined by former US Surgeon General David Satcher, MD, and Larry Culpepper, MD, chair of the Department of Family Medicine at Boston University School of Medicine. Together the experts discuss the stigmatization of mental illness and the impact these perceptions have on patient outcomes.

Activity Goal

To recognize and overcome stigma as a barrier to diagnosis and treatment of mental illness.

Learning Objectives

At the end of this CE activity, participants should be able to:

- Determine the role that stigma may play in the diagnosis and treatment of mental illness.
- Identify medical comorbidities that may be risk factors for major depressive disorder.
- Utilize a multidisciplinary treatment team interface to optimize management of depression.

Target Audience

Physicians, nurses, psychologists, social workers, certified case managers, pharmacists, and other healthcare professionals with an interest in mental health.

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